IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS

ANIMAL LEGAL DEFENSE FUND; ANIMAL EQUALITY; CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY; and FOOD CHAIN WORKERS ALLIANCE,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Case No.: 4:19-cv-442-JM

JONATHAN and DeANN VAUGHT, doing business as Prayer Creek Farms; and PECO FOODS, INC.

Defendants.

NOTICE OF PLAINTIFFS' SERVICE OF COMPLAINT ON ARKANSAS ATTORNEY GENERAL

Please take notice that pursuant to the Court's Order, Dkt. No. 68, and Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 5.1, as reflected in the attached receipts, Plaintiffs provided the Arkansas Attorney General a copy of the Complaint in this matter via certified mail and electronic mail. At the direction of the Arkansas Attorney General's Office, Plaintiffs sent the Complaint, with Exhibit A to:

Leslie Rutledge Arkansas Attorney General's Office 323 Center Street, Suite 200 Little Rock, AR 72201 OAG@ArkansasAG.gov

In their communications with the office, Plaintiffs stated that the enclosed complaint calls into question the constitutionality of a state statute and does not name the state, its agencies, or one of its officers or employees in an official capacity as a defendant in the matter. Plaintiffs further noted that Plaintiffs provided notice of the suit when it was filed and that the Eighth Circuit had

notified the office about the suit when it was on appeal, but that the suit had since been remanded and the parties and Court agreed additional notice was appropriate. Plaintiffs shared the materials they sent via electronic mail with Defendants and offered to make any changes or take any additional steps that Defendants believed appropriate to facilitate notice. Defendants offered none.

November 2, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David S. Muraskin

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 2nd day of November 2021, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF System which will send notification of such filing to counsel for all parties.

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To Whom It May Concern:

Please see the attached document providing you notice of a challenge that calls into question the constitutionality of a state statute, but does not involve the state, its agencies, or one of its officers or employees in an official capacity as a party.

If you have any questions or concerns, I can be reached via the contact information below.

Sincerely,



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